

SENATOR SCHMIT: The Liquor Commission has another note on here. The '78-79 costs are approximately \$109,000 in personal services, \$37,000 operating, \$36,000 capital outlay, total of \$200,949. Of course, I disagree with that. But that is not the first time I've disagreed with the Liquor Commission's fiscal analysis.

SENATOR DUIS: Well I'm not agreeing with it. I was just wondering by how much would your amendment either reduce or increase this. This, I believe, was based on the old percentage.

SENATOR SCHMIT: I really don't know what it would be, Senator. I have not had a current fiscal note on that.

SENATOR DUIS: Thank you very much.

SENATOR MARVEL: Is there any further discussion on the committee amendments? Senator Duis, you get your question answered? You wish to.... If there is no other discussion, we will vote on the adoption of the committee amendments to LB 818. All those in favor vote aye. Opposed vote no. Voting aye, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Senator Marvel voting aye.

SENATOR MARVEL: We're voting on the committee amendments to LB 818. Record.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 2 nays on the adoption of the committee amendments, Mr. President.

SENATOR MARVEL: The motion carried. The committee amendments are adopted.

CLERK: Mr. President, I now have amendments offered by Senator Richard Maresh. The amendments can be found on page 806 of the Legislative Journal.

SENATOR MARVEL: The Chair recognizes Senator Maresh. Are you speaking on a motion to amend?

SENATOR MARESH: Yes. Mr. Chairman, my amendment strikes the original language and inserts new sections which will levy a one cent tax on each throw away can and bottle. The money is to be used for highway and street litter cleanup. I move that this amendment be adopted.

SENATOR MARVEL: You've heard the motion and the second. Is there further discussion on the Maresh amendment to LB 818? Senator Dworak, do you wish to be recognized on the Maresh amendment?

SENATOR DWORAK: Mr. President, colleagues, I rise in opposition to Senator Maresh's amendment. I think it's clear what Senator Maresh is attempting to do. I think we had a very similar measure on this floor last year for some kind of a blanket tax. I think this body, last year, and the people across this state made their feeling pretty well known that that is not what they want. What they want is a legitimate bottle bill the way the bill came out of committee as amended. We've got 14,000 signatures right now to back that up. This is not, this is not the intent of LB 818. It's going 180 degrees from what the introducers, who